

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children - Constitution of Selection Committee for its recommendations for selection of Social Worker Members in Juvenile Justice Boards and Chairperson/ Member in Child Welfare Committees— Notification – Orders - Issued.

DEPTT. FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS (PROG.1)

G.O.RT.No. 53

Dated: 19-06-2017

Read the following:

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.409, Dept. for WCD&SC(JJ), Dt:23.12.2013.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.24, Dept. for WCD&SC(JJ), Dt:21.01.2014.
- 3) G.O.Ms.No. 8, Dept. for WCD&SC(JJ), Dated:12.02.2014.
- 4) G.O.Ms.No. 9, Dept. for WCD&SC(JJ), Dated:12.02.2014.
- 5) G.O.Ms.No. 10, Dept. for WCD&SC(JJ), Dted:12.02.2014.
- 6) From the Director, JW, CS & WSC, A.P., Vijayawada, Lr.No.P1 /85/2016, dt:06.01.2017 & 28.03.2017.
- 7) G.O.Ms.No.2, Dept. for WCDA&SCs(Prog.1), dt.22.03.2017.

ORDER

In the reference 1st and 2nd read above, Govt. constituted a Selection Committee for selecting the Chairperson and Members of Child Welfare Committee and Social Worker as Members of Juvenile Justice Boards and Inspection Committees for all the District in the State as per Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 and Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2003.

2. The new Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 came into force w.e.f. 15.01.2016 repealing the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000. The Government of India framed the Juvenile Justice Model Rules, 2016 and stated that as per the proviso of Section 110(1) of the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2015, the State Government is required to make rules to carry out the purposes of the Act which should be in conformity with the Juvenile Justice Model Rules, 2016 and where such State Rules are not made, the Juvenile Justice Model Rules, 2016 shall apply. The Government of Andhra Pradesh vide G.O.Rt.No.120 Deptt., for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens (Prog.1), dated 28.06.2016 constituted a committee for framing the draft Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice Rules. The Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada has informed that the final copy of draft State Rules will be submitted soon. Hence till framing of State Rules the Juvenile Justice Model Rules, 2016 which were issued by the Government of India shall apply.

3. As per Rule 87(1) of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Model Rules, 2016 the term of Selection Committee is 3 years by notification in the Official Gazette. Hence, the term of existing selection committee which was constituted in the references 1st and 2nd read above was expired on 22.12.2016.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada has furnished the proposal for constitution of selection committee for its recommendations for selection of Social Worker Members in Juvenile Justice Boards and Chairperson/ Member in Child Welfare Committees.

5. In the reference 7th read above, Govt. prescribed the eligibility criteria, qualifications, terms and other conditions for selection of the Social Worker Members in Juvenile Justice Boards and Chairperson / Members in Child Welfare Committees.

(P.T.O.)

6. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of Rule 87 of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Model Rules, 2016, the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby constitute the Selection Committee for its recommendations for selection of Social Worker Members in Juvenile Justice Boards and Chairperson/ Member in Child Welfare Committees as follows:

1.	Sri.Justice R.Ramanujan, Retired Judge of High Court of A.P	Chairperson
2.	The Director, Dept. of Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada .	<i>ex-officio</i> Member Secretary
3.	1. One representative from UNICEF 2. One representative from Childline, (South Regional Resource Centre, Childline India Foundation),	Member Member
4.	Two representatives from academic bodies or Universities 1. Prof. D. Jamuna, M.A.(Psy.), M.Ed., M.A.(WS), Ph.D.(Psy.), P.G.D.G&C, Center for Research on Ageing Dept. of Psychology, S.V. University, Tirupati-2. 2. Prof. K. Visweswara Rao, M.A.(SW), M.Phil, Ph.D.(SW.). Department for Social worker, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam -530003, A.P.	Member Member
5.	One representative from SCPCR nominated by the Chairperson, SCPCR.	Member

and also fixed an amount of Rs. 7,000/- to the Chairperson and Rs. 3,000/- to the non official members as sitting allowance which includes travel allowance payable from the funds available under flexi-fund of Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS) keeping in view of Rule 87 (7) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Model Rules, 2016.

7. The quorum for the meeting of the Selection Committee shall be not less than four Members, including the Chairperson and the Member Secretary.

8. The term of the above Selection Committee is 3 years from the date of issue of this order.

9. The Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services & Welfare of Street Children, A.P., Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Smt. APARNA UPADHYAYULA,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner of Printing & Stationary & Stores purchase, Vijayawada , Andhra Pradesh. (He is requested to publish the notification in the next issue of A.P. Gazette and send 50 copies to the Government.)

The Director, JW,CS&WSC, A.P., Vijayawada.

All the Members of Committee through Director, J.W., C.S. & W.S.C., A.P.

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The Spl. Commissioner, WD&CW, A.P., Guntur.

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